



Docket No. 141-242A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Li et al.

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Examiner: Micah Paul Young

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

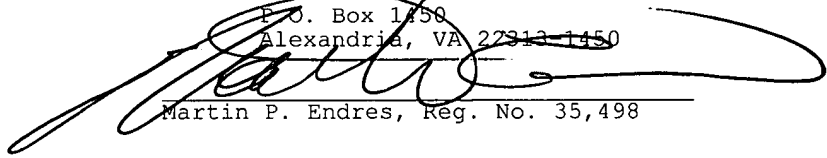
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 27, 2008, in the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully request amendment and reconsideration. Because the rejection was final, Applicants are filing a Request for Continued Examination concurrently with this amendment.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 attached hereto on separate sheets are: a) an amendment to the claims; and b) a remark section.

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